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Sir:

Applicants appeal the decision of Examiner Barry rejecting the pending claims in the above-identified application by Office Action dated March 31, 2000.

Applicants hereby petition for an extension of time to respond to the rejections in the Office Action mailed on March 31, 2000 for three month(s), up to and including September 30, 2000. The \$890 fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b) is enclosed.

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